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Assistant Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, 1.98 and MPEP § 609, and supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed March 14, 2001, applicants submit the following Disclosure Statement concerning art of which the applicants are aware. A copy of PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.

Under Rule 98(a)(3), no concise explanation of relevance is required for information that is in the English language. Accordingly, the enclosed patents require no further explanation.

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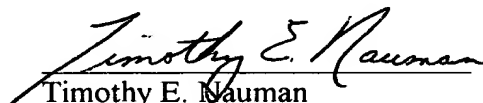


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Under Rule 97(b)(1), this information disclosure statement is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application. Therefore, no fee is necessary.

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